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Singlish is always something that I’m quite familiar and often keep in touch with. So, I decided to share my perspective on Singlish. In consequence, it’s also a great opportunity for my fellow friends to appreciate the beauty of one language and let go of the prejudice. In addition, my presentation is mainly focus on the daily use of Singlish for instance, particles, the changes of daily conversation, how the culture adapt and effect one language, the usage of grammar ,and the controversial part of speak good English movement. In my own opinion Singlish may not be recognized in the world as a formal language for most people, but a bit of knowledge on Singlish is definitely essential when travelling around Singapore. It is a unique blend of English, Chinese, Malay, Tamil and local dialects. To some, it is a beautiful language that proudly displays the multi-cultural character of the society; to others, it is a colloquialism so full of grammatical errors that it makes you squirm each time you hear it. Regardless, it is useful to understand a fair bit of Singlish, or at least understand the most common phrases used to avoid getting ‘lost in translation’.  All in all, every language has its own special feature so is Singlish. We should always preserve one language and not to dismiss it. I genuinely believe that whenever there is a special language in our society we should often be curious, excited, appreciate and to discover more about it. Should always stay youthful and humble; try to cherish every moment to learn something new!

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